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TAGS: WHO
SUBJECT: SPECIAL COMMITTEE PROGRESS REPORT ON
OCCUPIED TERRITORIES

1. I TALKED TO DIRECTOR GENEAL MAHLER OF WHO JANUARY 9
AND ASKED HIM FOR A PROGRESS REPORT REGARDING THE SPECIAL
COMMITTEE OF EXPERTS MANDATED BY THE WORLD HEALTH ASSEMBLY
TO STUDY HEALTH CONDITIONS IN THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES.
THE DG REPORTED "STUPENDOUS PROGRESS" AND CONFIRMED THAT
THE CHAIRMAN OF THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE, DR. FODE WADE,
VISITED JERUSALEM THREE WEEKS AGO. ACCORDING TO MAHLER
THE GOVT OF ISRAEL HAS GIVEN THE SPECIAL COMMITTEE CARTE
BLANCHE TO INVESTIGATE HEALTH CONDITIONS IN THE OCCUPIED
TERRITORIES WITHOUT LIMITATION ON THE PLACES AND PERSONS
IT MIGHT VISIT. IT IS EXPECTED THAT THE SPECIAL
COMMITTEE COMPOSED OF REPRESENTATIVES FROM SENEGAL,
ROMANIA AND INDONESIA WILL VISIT THE OCCUPIED TERRITORIES
IN MARCH.

2. THE DG HOPES THAT THE ITEM WILL DISAPPEAR FROM THE
ASSEMBLY AGENDA BUT IN ANY EVENT HE IS CONFIDENT THAT
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IT WILL NOT BECOME AN UNPLEASANT ISSUE. IN HIS JUDGMENT
THE ARAB NATIONS DO NOT WANT TO HARM WHO AND IN THIS
SITUATION, AS ISRAEL HAS MET THE SUBSTANTIVE THRUST OF THE
CHALLENGE, THE ARAB REPRESENTATIVES WOULD HAVE NO MERIT TO
THEIR ARGUMENT. VANDEN HEUVEL

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